

PENNSYLVANIA Chester (15) STRAFFORD
HABS, PA, 15-STRAFO, 2- (Tredyffrin Township)

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STRAFFORD RAILROAD STATION (PA-268)
STRUCTURE

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E side of Old Eagle School Rd., between
Strafford Ave. and Penn Central RR tracks.
Frame with vertical siding faced with verti-
cal and diagonal boards (main floor) and
frame with board and batten siding (lower
level), 28'-6" (three-bay front) x 23' with
projecting bay on S (rear) elevation, two
stories (main floor elevated to track level),

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gable roof with large gabled dormers, deep cornice with brackets, applied wooden decoration in gable ends. Built 1876 as the Centennial Catalogue Building for the 1876 Centennial in Philadelphia; bought by the Pennsylvania RR and erected in Wayne as a railroad station in 1885; 1887 taken down and moved to Strafford. 2 ext. photos (1958); 3 data pages (1958).

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